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All notices for entertainments of any kind in which an admittance fee is required will be charged at the rate of five cents per line per day; and must be classified and will not be run as pure reading

There are upwards of one hundred men now working on the Whittaker packing Justice Barrett's court was closed yes-

with friends in Emporia. Owing to the late start on the school year last fall, the work will not be com-

pleted until the last day of May. The benefit concert at the Lincoln street Presbyterian church last evening was well

attended and was highly successful. Professor Shull has taken possession of much pleased with his new quarters.

Mr. W. M. Sage traffic manager of the C. K. & N., and Atwood, general freight yet failed to see it in print. agent of that road, are expected in the city Thursday evening.

There is a new seal making indentations on paper at the city clerks office which Office of commissioner of elections, city of Wichita, Kansas."

Smead & Co., of Kansas City, who handle hot air furnaces, is in the city interviewing the school board on the matter of securing the same for the school buildings

to be erected. Last evening a couple of pupils in a Third ward school got into an altercation was preparing manuscript for his report which resulted in breaking some of the and in view of the circumstances he favor-

It is said by one desiring to recall a cruel like to have the report in print ioke can do so by asking Mr. D. L. Green to be distributed among county to relate his experience with a mute in getting a personal property statement. Mr. held here by the middle of April. Harry Stewart can be relied upon for details, so it is added.

Mr. W. F. White, traffic manager of the Santa Fc, and Mr. S. B. Hines, general freight agent, will arrive here by special train on Friday morning to meet the state railroad commissioners who will be in Wichita on that day.

Yesterday was a rather busy day around and pupils. business. Two hundred and twenty-nine some sort of a report printed by the 1st of

The EAGLE sent one of its staff into Oklahoma yesterday to verify or otherwise de could take any action the proposiny the daily rumors reaching us from that tion should be submitted in writing. He is instructed to get all the facts obtainable, see everything and every-body possible and then within a day or two which prevalled without discussion. n as possible wire us everything.

Ex-Police Officer Wibking's son and Dr. Pratt's boy, while rumaging yesterday in Fegtley, proposing to part of the \$6 lost by Mrs. Reeves in the committee on building and grounds. fire, The treasure wes returned to its rightful owner.

Mr. J. W. Wingard, who has charge of mitted by the ways and means committee the school buildings and grounds, it hav- relating to voting bonds be adopted. ing a cabinet made for the accommoda-High school, Mr. Sherman Davis, an assistant in the High school has a large collection of specimens and the students are

THE RAILEOAD COMMISSIONERS.

On Friday of this week the railroad commissioners for the state will be in the city to consider some matters in their line and which greatly concern the city. There will also be present some of the railroad men of the state who are interested in the traffic department.

ADDED COMPETITION.

Mr. Butts, of Cincinnati, now a dweller near the Wichita tock yards, who is here as an order buyer for Cincinnati and St. Louis packers, shipped out his first purchase of hogs vesterday. Mr. Butts is in

O. H. Henderson, general deputy head consul of the Modern Woodmen of America, and his assistant, W. T. Lake, are here in the interests of the order. During their stay in this city the benefit of charter rates will be offered to any who wish to join the fraternity. This is the deputy's first visit to Kansas, and the fact of his coming straight to Wichita indicates that he knew where the best timber was to be found.

"SRE'S ALL RIGHT." Major N. F. Niederlander is jubilant less than any other system. over the outlook for real estate business expect any great furore but that he has tions and action would doubtless be taken satisfactory assurance that a healthy tone at the proper time.

This completed the hot air discuss will very soon be established in the real estate market. He had no idea, he says, and Mr. Fegtley, returning to the school fairs existed in distant states as he has be illegal to vote bonds at the coming elecoutcome of a small advertisement. Letters 4th of March. from all parts of the union making minute inquiry, and many of them telling of projected visits and intended investments, have reached him during that time and from the details he gives of some of the tion.

contents the major has ample reason to be

SCHOOL BOARD

DISCUSS IN A RAMBLING WAY THE SCHOOL BUILDING BOND QUESTION.

A Large Amount of Miscellaneous Busi ness Considered-A Lesson on the "Physics" of Hot Air for School Building Radiators.

The school board held an adjourned meeting last evening, according to expectation, the object being to discuss the bond question, together with some kindred topics. The committee appointed to find out if the law had been published, reported that it had not up to Saturday, according to the secretary of state, and it had not since unless in yesterday's paper. The bond question was discussed in a rambling way, but no action taken. Some reports of special committees were made. and an explanation of a system of heating by hot air listened to, together with proposition to investigate the same. Took a recess until Friday night.

THE PROCEEDINGS. The school board met last evening; present, McNair, Tucker, Campbell, Feg-tley and Pallet, with Clapp in the chair. The report of the committee to find out what is meant to be embraced in the new school law. Mr. Campbell chairman of the committee states he had interviewed a law firm and they were unable to tell what

how many, and who is to call the election. He asked further time for investigation, Mr. Fegtlev stated that it would be a good plan to find out something about the

It was suggested that the election commissioner would be likely to know what was meant by the law as it was understood he had something to do in "fixing things It was also said the comm up. would not open an office and have any-

thing to do with the spring election. terday as that gentleman spent the day Mr. Fegtley very irreverently inquired if the election commissioner has the power of naming the candidates. In answer it was stated that he had, and applications

must be filed early. advice that the board could submit a clothing, etc; D. M. Kirkbird, clothing; proposition to vote bonds if it should de-

Mr. Clapp stated he wrote the secretary of state about the printing of the school new office allotted him, and seems very bill and received a reply dated Saturday much pleased with his new quarters. ately. He inferred from that it had not

Mr. Clapp submitted a report showing number of rooms occupied by city schools, which was as follows:

The object of this was to determine the situation to see if more buildings are nec-

essary and where they should be built. A communication was read offering to rent some building on the corner of Elm etc.; literature from the Y's, and many and Emporia. Mr. Clapp stated that the superintendent

bones of the right hand of Henry Startz- ed the printing of the report before the end man. He was engaged with John Horton, of the school year or as near after the close as possible. The superintendent said he would

> superintendents of rhe state meeting to be Fegtley seemed to think it unnecessary to print a report before the close of the year. One before the end of the year would

necessitate printing a second about July. The two would be too much of the report Mr. Campbell said the report most needed was one embracing the course of study, rules regulating school board, teachers

the city clerk's office in the registration | It was decided to make an effort to have

mames were added to the books, making two thousand seven hundred and seventy, including one hundred and sixty women.

The board gave an audience to Captain Maher, who stated he was ready to offer eight lots to the board on Riverside if they would erect a school building. The lots are located in Ferrell addition, on Thirsemath have placed their orders for fine double carriages of the latest fad. Three worthy young family gentlemen, all devented to a closely who would be benefitted.

May.

I can citizenship will permit them to do so. I should vote for the resolutions. Now I can citizenship will permit them to do so. I should vote for the resolutions. Now I can citizenship will permit them to do so. I should vote for the resolutions. Now I can citizenship will permit them to do so. I should vote for the resolutions. Now I can citizenship will permit them to do so. I should vote for the resolutions. Now I can citizenship will permit them to do so. I should vote for the resolutions. Now I can citizenship will permit them to do so. I should vote for the resolutions. Now I can citizenship will permit them to do so. I should vote for the resolutions. Now I can citizenship will permit them to do so. I should vote for the resolutions. Now I can citizenship will permit them to do so. I should vote for the resolutions. Now I can citizenship will permit them to do so. I should vote for the resolutions. Now I can citizenship will permit them to do not believe the great burden of determining what religious denominations shall be permitted to hold meetings in this city has been imposed upon the people who have decided that the car line. There are fifty-two pupils in that locality who would be benefited. worthy young family gentlemen, all de- that locality who would be benefitted. serving of the best the market can afford. The board should erect a building with not less than four rooms.

Mr. Campbell said before the board He moved that the matter be referred to

The southwest part of the city was rep resented by a petition presented by Mr. the ruins of the old building on East First school building. The building would acstreet, which was burned down last No- commodate one hundred and fifty-three vember, came across two silver dollars, pupils. The matter was referred to the

THE BOND QUESTION. Mr. Fegtley moved the resolution sub-

Mr. McNair thought the board not Mr. Pallet said he understood that the had been removed, making a court ample commissioner of election did not intend for the hundreds of guests. assisting in getting a good sized collection. to interfere with the coming election except to draw his pay. He seemed to think gratified the eye and taste with the dis-

> fere with the bond question. In order to defer the motion Mr. McNair Friday night when both matters could ceived with Mrs. Wallace, and the many be fully discussed.

> that a quorum would not be present Fri- as in her platform talks, and is the highly day evening. Some of the number would style for friend, counsellor and grandbe out of town that night.

much talked of school "act" had been ladies for giving this opportunity to meet printed, and during his absence the board Mrs. Wallace and for the graceful hospilistened to an explanation of the Smead the field to compete with the buyers for hot air system of heating by Mr. the local and other markets, thus doubly Frank L. Stevens of Kansas City. He assurring sellers the highest prices for gave an explanation of the physics of the system. The movements of the air to-WIGHITA'S WONDERFUL WAYS WIN gether with the heat in the furnace he said were such as to care for the sewage as well as the ventilation. He stated that ings. It seems a fact among the members in order to give the board an idea of the system his company would pay the expense | buildings will be erected and hence the atof one man to investigate all systems including the one he represented. The sys- There is a system of heating by hot air tem had been adopted in the new school that is being considered which some seem buildings for Kansas City, Kan.; and Kansas City, Mo.; St. Joe and Omaha. Also had been adopted for the new court house

room building and fuel cost one-fourth Mr. Clapp, on behalf of the board, in the near future. He says he does not thanked the gentleman for the explana-

at Horton.

that such general interest in Wichita's af- law nightmare, said he thought it would walk on east side of Main from Douglas had evidence of during the past week, the tion if the bill had not been printed by the

> Mr. Clapp thought; it a good plan to the best of counsel to investigate if at this

> Wingard thought it well to spend some money in getting legal opinion. Some

years ago this city had voted bonds and they were found to be illegal and could not

When it was about time to vote the clerk suggested he could not be on hand Friday night, but the motion carried and it is thought that the engagement of the clerk for Friday evening may be somewhat dis-turbed as his services on the bond question may be in great and imperative demand.

REPORT

Of Children's home for the past two months, ending March 7. The board of directors are exceedingly thankful for the following donations:

From the city council, \$75; christmas offering Lincoln street Sunday school, \$8.92; Plymonth Congregational Sunday school, \$2.63; Mrs. W. A. Woodman, \$5; Mrs. F.

M. Duncan, \$1; a lady, 75c.

Monthly payments—Mrs. Cogdell (25c per month), 50c; Mrs. Frank Williams, \$1; Mrs. O. O. Brown, 25c; Mrs. H. C. Sluss, \$1; Mrs. O. D. Kirk (25c per month), \$1.25; Mrs. R. Pittenger, \$1; Mrs. John Allen (35c per month), \$1; Mrs. R. E. Guthrie, \$2; Messrs. J. R. Hume, 50c; R. Jacks, 50c; R.

A. Hall, 50c; J. D. Wilcox, \$1. Membership dues-Mesdames F. Ross \$1; J. O. Davidson, \$1; F. M. Duncan, \$1; L. C. Vanness, \$1.

Provisions-Mrs. W. B. Hendryx, mince

meat; Ladies Aid Society Plymouth Congregational church, cake and coffee; Mrs. Dr. McCoy, jelly; Mrs. Paxson, jelly; Stiles & Smith, barrel sweet potatoes; Mrs. Whitlock, meat; Mrs. E. G. Shields, cake and jeily; Mrs. Charles Johnson, a nice roast; W. H. Dalzell, hominy and mince meat: Mrs. Scott, milk; Mr. Farry, beef; the ladies of the Baptist church, also the ladies of the auxiliary Y. M. C. A. did not forget the little ones, but after their entertainments sent them a large quantity of provisions. The Eureka Vinegar Company, of St. Louis, presented, through Newton & Griffin, thirty-nine pounds of butter.

Ciothing-Mesdames M. J. Jeffries, on hood; J. T. Cochran, clothing and shoes; H. C. Sluss, clothing, comfort and books; Dr. McCoy, clothing; a lady, clothing and stationery; Clifford, clothing and shoes; Judge Reed, clothing and com-Mr. McNair stated that he had the legal Mr. Blakemore, clothing and shoes; Miss Kate Murphy, one hood; Mrs. J. L. Dyre, four pair of new pillow cases: First grade Franklin school, Miss Jeffries' teach-

er nice woolen comfort. Hardware-Mrs. J. K. Sawyer, slop pail and tack hammer; Mrs. Black, baking pans; Mr. Rowlee, gem pans; Mr. Caswell, been printed but would be, but he had as skillet; Mrs. W. S. Woodman, steam

cooker. From the Entre Nons Society, a very nice extension table, and could they have seen amount of rent paid and number of pupils | the happy faces of the little one around it they would feel repaid for their kind re-

Miscellaneous-Mr. Hoff, ice for refrigerator; Hettinger Brothers and W. L. Davis, medicines for January, Mr. Bisbee, pine boxes for kindling. The A. D. T. have kindly offered their messenger service free of charge will be of great benefit. Mrs. Caswell and Hinman, books, papers, thanks for the daily EAGLE.

MRS. A. BASLEY,

Financial Secretary. LET'S HAVE FAIR PLAY I called at the Salvation Army meeting I called at the Salvation Army meeting last night and was somewhat surprised to see a lot of men there who ought to know better doing everything in their power to disturb the meeting. The captain in command requested some of them to leave the room. They went outside and then bombarded the door with stones. Now I am one of those who believe that the Salvation Army or any other organization has a tion Army or any other organization has a right to hold meetings in this city utmo-tated by anybody. If thirty or forty leading members of the Methodist church were to attempt to break up a dance or theater in this city by peppering the doors with brick bats an indignation meeting would be called immediately sud resolutions would be adopted setting forth that the Methodwere converted at the meeting last night, and the managers claim they have been instrumental in coverting over two thousand people since they located here. I am too much of a coward to oppose them lest it might transpire that the Lord is on their side. At all events the army has a right to hold its meetings.

FARMER DOOLITTLE.

RECEPTION TO MRS. WALLACE, presented at its best the handsome interior, beautifully decorated with garlands of laurel, blooming plante flowers, together with artistic drapa of an ornithological collection at the ready to act on the question. There were eries and banners, and articles several things that should be attended to, of virtue. The central pews of the church

> The tables at the west end of the room the new election kinks would not inter- play of dainty linen, silver and triumphs

> of culinary art. Mrs. Dr. Hendryx, Mrs. E. J. Foster and noved the board take a recess until Mrs. Riley Foster, of Indianapolis, rewho were presented were unanimous in Mr. Campbell stated that he had fears saying Mrs. Wallace is as pleasant socially mamma. Equally numerous were the Mr. Wingard was sent out to find if the words of thanks to the Christian church A GUEST. tality dispensed. March 13, 1889.

THE HEATING QUESTION

There is some talk among members of the school board about what system of heating shall be secured for the new buildas set down as a fact that some more tention that seems to drift to details. to think has about it merits. The experiment some time ago with hot air according to the Rutan system was not of such a character as to inspire much love The system would cost \$2,400 for an eight | for any system that seems in any way related to it. It is thought that ere long the board will have a "gang of heating fellows" explaining the merits of the various systems.

> STONE WALK FOR SOUTH MAIN. Some time ago the Vandera Stone com pany secured the contract for putting side-

the work to be completed.

SCOOPED IT IN.

WICHITA INVESTS IN ANOTHER MANUFACTURING ENTERPRISE

Mineral Wool, Steam Pipe and Boiler Covering Factory to be in Operation Here Without Delay.

The latest manufacturing concern organ-ized in Wichita is a Mineral Wool, Steam Pipe and Boiler Covering Manufacturing company, with Colonel F. E. Parmenter at its head and the Messrs. McComb Bros., Mr. O. F. Sherman and Mr. C. Call, of Genessee county, N Y., as the other four directors.

The new company is the outcome of the visit to Wichita of Mr. C. Lamkin, the patentee of the composition, who came from Batavia, N. Y., for the purpose of establishing himself a branch of his Batavia factory in this city. He has disposed of his rights for this part of the world to the aforenamed gentlemen, whose intention it is to start a factory, employing about fifty men, with as little delay as possible, and as no large outlay is required for the plant and no machinery to speak of is employed in the mannfacture of the covering from the raw material as received here it will not be many weeks before the works will be in actual operation.

The mineral wool steam pipe and boiler covering consists of a layer of asbestos, a filling of mineral wool and a covering of the whole being of the thickness of one inch and a quarter. It is represented as being absolutely indestructible from any inside heat and a perfect non-conductor of heat. The wool is made by blowing steam or air through molten icoriaceous substances, such as the slag of blast furnaces, which are thereby converted into fine fibres. The composition consists principally, therefore, of the best non-conducting mineral substance vorded into a wooly or fibrous mass, which has the essential requisite of a good non-conductor or insulator, of either heat, cold or sound, viz: Air confined in a finely subdivided state, and it has this paramount advantage over all the other best known organic non-conductors, such as felting, hair, charcoal, sawdust, shavings, etc., that it can neither rot nor burn, and that it is indifferent to atmospheric influences. The transmission of sound is also prevented by a filling of mineral Wood, because of its inelasticity or want of solidity. This is a very important feature, because no other material in general use for heat-proofing and fire-proofing possesses also the property of soundproofing. A fourth advantage, which is of equal advantage with the others, is the irritation which the glass fibers cause to liams and Uley Fitzhugh on a charge of both insects and vermin. There is nothing robbing the jewelry store of R. Allen in its composition which can help to breed or harbor insects, and no animal life will remain in it.

The covering is made in three-foot lengths to fit any size pipes, and is also made in blocks for covering boilers, domes and heaters.

THE BOAT CLUB MEETING. The regular monthly meeting of the Wichita Boat club was held last night at the office of Doctors Smith & Hougland. The meeting wes called to order by President H. W. Lytie, and the secretary read the minutes of previous meeting, which were adopted, Messrs. R. H. Chapman, Fred Cossett and W.H. Boone, whose applications for membership were handed in at the last meeting, were admitted to the club. Mr. Chas. F. Smyth, one of the unanimously elected president, and with such a man at the head the prospects for good sanitary condition by cleaning up the future are all that could be wished. L. W. Miner and Guy Myers were elected lieutenants, and Chas. Conley ensign.

A number of bills were allowed. The captain, Geo. W. MacDonnell, gave a report of the condition of the boat houses and boats, and from the report everything is in good shape for the coming season, which will be opened on May 1 with a big

ist church does not own this country and if people want to dance or go to a theater the inalieniable rights attaching to American the inalieniable rights attaching the inal anticipate plenty of amusement, such as moonlight picnics, boating parties, dances,

etc. A special meeting was called for next week after which the club adjourned. The Boat club is one of the popular organizations of the city, and it is a good indication when several new members are elected at each meeting. The membership committee have several more names which will be reported on at the next regular The Boat club is an organization that its members take a pride in. It has prospered from the start. Its membershin is composed of the most substantial citizens of Wichita and they all take a personal interest in the club's prosperity. It is expected to build a club house in Wich-To the Editor of the Eagle.

The reception at the Central Christian its some time in the near future, one that church on Tuesday, by the ladies of the will not only be a credit to the organiza-Central, South and West Side Christian tion but to Wichita. Last year a reprechurches, to the ladies of Wichita, in hon- sentative crew was sent to Chicago to the or of Mrs. Zerelda Wallace, was a delight-ful social occasion. The church with which speaks well for them considering darkened windows and lighted chandeliers the many well trained crews they had to

SOCIAL GATHERING.

Quite a number of the members of the Young People's Bible class met at the Baptist church last evening and enjoyed themselves in sociability and in getting better acquainted. Between sixty and seventy young people were present besides the older ones who, in the early part of the evening, held a missionary meeting and supper. All enjoyed themselves and desired the frequent recurrence of similar occasions.

Among those present at the young peopeace by Governor Humphrey under the Among those present at the young people's gathering were: Misses Maude Raffety, Minnie Tilford, Nellie D. ple's gathering were: Misses Maude Raffety, Minnie Tilford, Nellie D. Pitt, Frank Aldendeter, Minnie Crouch, elect a justice of the peace, and that the Ida Winn, Viola Dunn, Angie Herring, election of this third justice of the peace Dora Scott, Jessie Reynolds, Kate Wiggs, should take place at the same manner as Sybbell Herring, Mary Callaway, Edith the other two justices of the peace are elected. Yours respectfully, L. B. Kelloge. Raffety, Nannie Clegg. Messrs, W. W. Jones, H. A. Eart, J. W. Viele, J. H. Means, V. A. Washburn, W. G. Noel, S. D. Lleurance, W. T. Davies, R. V. Hewlett, W. D. Carney, J. H. Hobbs, Eli Bartlett, A. L. Pierce, A. L. Snyder, Lewis Short, Emmett Morris, H. H. Pope, R. F. Knight, F. B. Smith, W. E. Mark, H. C. Hood, J. C. South, Ernest Crane, H. S. McMichael, C. V. McClenathan, John S. Pool, Arthur Johnson, Jahn Anderson, J. N. Bridenstine, Lewis Ward, W. S. Goldsworthy, F. A. North and others

HE IS SATISFIED.

Mr. Thos. B. Beall, a Baltimore capitalalist, who is heavily interested in the stock vards and in real estate here besides his banking interests, leaves for home today. Mr. Beall has been here a week and leaves wholly satisfied with the prospects. During his stay he has taken especial pains to investigate business matters and has fully satisfied himself that the foundations and buttresses of the city are laid in cement that is daily strengthening.

THE MISFIT.

The reported mistake in the architectu avenue to the Metropole. They com-menced work yesterday hauling stone and ated considerable merriment yesterday in will have the work completed in a few a crowd of architects. It is said that the days. The walk will be twelve feet wide, foundation is six inches longer than the which is the wiath established by ordisperstructure, and how to get a fit seems date at an adjourned meeting the board nance for Main street. The stone is well to be a difficult question. That such a business on South Main are anxious for wish that the fit might be gained without street, between Main and Market, at 2:30, the work to be completed.

Mrs. C. E. Scott, Sec.

E. N. Billings ys. Wm. Matthewson, judgment in favor of plaintiff vs. William Matthewson for \$85 with interest at 12 per

Henry Schweiter et al. vs. P. Glunt et al., judgment on cross petition of Wichita National bank in favor of said Wichita National bank vs. A. E. Fehleisen for \$354.67 with interest at 12 per cent from

date and for costs.

Scott and Eckhart vs. James O'Hanlot and Mary O'Hanlon et al., judgment ren-dered against both defendants for the sum of \$348.28 and foreclosure of property.

State vs. John Thornton, the prosecu tion rested its case just before noon and the entire afternoon was consumed in the examination of witnesses for the defense the only new evidence of any moment being that of "Dot" Cameron, brought out on cross examination, to the effect that Thornton had made threats that he would "fix" Ebenhack if he followed him. Thornton later in the trial admitted having used the expression that he would "fix" anyone who followed him but denied having applied it particularly to Ebenhack. The evidence will probably all be in some time tomorrow.

NEW COURT BULES. It is ordered by the court that the following additional rules be entered upon the journal for the district court of Sedg

wick county: Rule 34. Nunc pro tunc entries will not be granted by the court except in extreme cases and upon a good showing made

therefor. Rule 35. Attorneys shall, in placing a motion, or demurrer, or petition in error, upon the motion and demurrer docket note the appearance, docket number of the case in which said motion, demurrer, or petition in error is made as well as the number of said motion, demurrers or peti-

tion in error prescribed in rule 23. Rule 36. All journal entries must be submitted to the attorney or the attorneys representing the opposing side in the action and upon the said journal entry must be noted the approval or objection of the adverse party prior to its presentation to the court or judge as prescribed by rule 31. C. REED, JUDGE.

PROBATE COURT. Petition of guardian of the estate of Herbert and Frank P. Hinckley to mortgage real estate. Hearing set for March

Marriage license was issued to Charles Carr and Emma Searth, both of Wichita.

JUSTICE COURT. Justice Walker's court issued a warrant in the State vs. Harry Bristow alias Williams and Uley Fitzhugh on a charge of

Daisy Clark paid in \$5.

Robt. Smart was caught stealing tools from the neighborhood of the new county building and in default of payment of a \$25 fine was committed to the cooler. Chief McNamara and Officers Stewart, Longmire and Bearhs were called down during the evening and brought in five

inebriated tramps who were found making night hideous for residents near the old stock yards on Kellogg street.

It is the desire of the board of health to place the city in as perfect a sanitary condition as possible before hot weather. accomplish this it is necessary to have the co-operation of every house owner and most active members of the club, was tenant in the city, who are hereby ordered cesspools, alleys, vaults, manure piles and all other sources of filth and to use quicklime or other disinfectants where required.

FUNERAL SERVICES. The funeral services of Mrs. H. A. Hart, the venerable mother of Mrs. Innes, Mrs. Rutan and Mrs. Emery, were held at the the residence of Col. Innes yesterday afternoon, Dr. D. W. Phillips officiating. There Committees have been appointed to take care of the social features of the club durmorning the remains were taken by Capt. ticipation, the Chicago Times says:

left without notice to anyone. Since then a large number of creditors have been tenderly inquiring for Mr. Vance, the principal one, however, being the agent of the Scandinavian coal mine, of Osage City, who came yesterday and who has a small account of \$580 against the firm for the coal on which Vance Bros. & Co. realized

quiry in regard to the third justice of the peace for your city is duly received. I have this day, in reply to a communication. Thomas Joyce, Paul Arthur, new act was only to fill a vacancy occa-

Attorney General.

WICHITA GUN CLUB. The weekly shoot of the gun club took place at their grounds at Riverside yesterday and resulted in the following score:

handicapped four yards:

No. 1-24 singles targets, Mellinger

Williams-11111111110111111111111111-23

11111111111111111111111111-m Festerday. Johnson 101111111011111111111001101-19 Stafford-19110111111101110101111011-18 McNamers-011101011110111111111110001-1: Jennings-Mellinger - 10101011110000110000101-12 No. 2-Five pair targets:

The reformed church social will meet this evening at the residence of Mr. Frank P. Martin, 1515 North Lawrence avenue. A cordial invitation is extended.

The regular business meeting of St had the power to submit a bond proposi- known in the city and it will make a beau- mistake should occur seemed much regret- John's Guild will be held this afternoon at tiful walk. The parties living and doing ted by all, and it seemed to be the common the residence of Mrs. Junkerman, on Pine

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IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN.

A mishap, which might have been fruitful of serious results, occurred about noon esterday at the Douglas avenue crossing of the Santa Fe during the passage of the funeral cortege of Thos. Driscoll's little son. The procession was midway across the tracks when the gateman watching the approach of a freight train lowered the gates and cut the line of carriages into three pieces. Some excitement was shown among those imprisoned on the tracks but the train was stopped in time. frightened animal driven by a lady in : two-wheeled gig bolted, but was promptly seized by an onlooker and brought under

From present indications the quarterly meeting of members and friends of the association on Monday night, March 18, will be a very pleasant affair. Good singing, brief, entertaining reports of the work happy addresses and light refreshments

are part of the proposed program.

Do you want to know how soon the new building will be ready? Come out and Mr. Hyde will tell you.

If you want to know anything in regard to the progress of the work in all its various lines come to the meeting. The reports will be short and spicy, such as all will gladly listen to.

It is hoped that all friends of the ass ciation will so arrange their plans as to be Put the date down and come prepared

for a good time.

Wichita's Caledonian society met last night at the office of Mr. C. V. Ferguson, one of the members, and an exceedingly enjoyable evening was passed. The busi-ness occupied but a few minutes, vice presdent Fordyce occupying the chair in the absence of President T. K. McLean, and the later hours were given up to the enjoyment of original papers by the members W. B. Arnold received very high commendation for an excellent essay "Tragedy and Comedy," this being adjudged one of the best papers ever read before the society. He was followed by Mr. D. J. Waliace, who gave a very faithful historical sketch of the city of Edinburgh from its foundation to the present day, and the program closed with a reading from Sir Walter Scott, by Mr. Chas.

McKenzie At the next monthly meeting the matter of holding a Scottish picnic will be dis-

In speaking of Lotta, whose appearance at looked forward to with much pieus

morning the remains were taken by Capt. and Mrs. Rutan to Iowa City, Ia., for interment, where the regular funeral service will take place.

THE SEASON IS OVER.

Mr. A. B. Vance, senior partner of the coal firm of Vance Bros. & Co., 920 East Douglas avenue, has left for some unknown part of the great west. He closed out his coal. selling some of it below cost, so that he might get in all available assets, purchased a \$25 harness from a neighboring harnessmaker on Friday afternoon, paying only \$5 on it, closed his office on Friday evening, and Saturday morning left without notice to anyone. Since then 210," which was so fayorably received last season. The play was duly commented upon then and any extended mention of it would be superfluous at the present time. However, It might be well to observe that it is the best thing Lotta has appeared in for some time. It holds the attention of the auditor from start to finish, the story being entertaining and cleverly told. From the opening pawnshop scene until the final scene where the little during the past month.

RELLOGG ON WICHITA JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

Concerning the justice of the peace question for Wichita Attorney General L. B. Kellogg writes to an attorney of the city as follows:

Your favor of the 9th Inst., making inquiry in regard to the third justice of the peace for your city is duly received. It who succeeds the lamented John Howson as Uncle Harris, does some very affecting acting. Thomas Joyce, Paul Arthur, Helen Leslie, Hattle Starr, Genevieve Reyrolds and one or two others acquitted themselves to the entire satisfaction of the

Hundreds came, found the hall full and sadly turned away. A sea of upturned faces greeted Mr. Wendling when he arose

to speak. His lectures here on 'Hamlet' and 'Immortality' were grand, but his 'Soul of Tarsus' was sublime." Wendling delivers this great lecture at

Mr. J. H. Hoss left for Denver last night. Mr. H. L. Billings, of Chicago, is in the

Mr. J. Samuels, of Philadelphia, is in Thomas H. O'Neil, of Denver, arrived Mr. C. W. Bixby, of Kansas City, is here

Mrs. J. H. Stone and daughter left yes-terday for Astoria, Ill. Mr. A. Bell Malcomson, of New York, is registered at the Carey hotel. G. W. Kilburn and D. Wilkins, of New-on, were calling on friends yesterday.

Mr. H. Goldsmith, of Providence, is visiting Wichita.

Mr. J. G. Kinsley, of Anthony, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. L. Wellhouse, of Atlanta, Ga., is a

Mr. E. C. Francis, of Sheboygan, Wis., is

Mr. J. C. Barnes, of St. Joe, is registered

Mr. C. E. Gowdy, of Chicago, is staying

guest of the Carey.

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Mr. J. Burnham, Leavenworth, and Mr. A. B. Cooper, of Osage City, are both at the Manhattan. Mr. C. C. Richmond and a party of six left over the Missouri Pacific yesterday for

Portland, Oregon. Thos. Minnis, Esq., of Brooklyn, N. Y., arrived in the city last evening on a visit to his son, Rev. Thos. Minnis.

Mrs. J. C. Schanck and Miss Anna Schanck left yesterday for Leavenworth, where they will remain with friends for a

Mr. R. F. Rosenheim, of the "Fashion," left last evening for the east to lay in his spring stock of novelties and will be absent acveral weeks.

Mr. E. E. Bleckley, Missouri Pucific pas-senger and ticket agent, has gone to Port-land, Oregon, in charge of a party of thir-teen persons from Audale. Mr. M. R. Tucker spent yesterday at Anthony and leaves today for Boston to attend to some business connected with the Farmers' Loan and Trust company.

L. W. McCollem, Kansas City; J. B. Wilson, St. Joe; Jas. H. Reed, St. Louis; Horace W. Power, Cleveland, O.; Chas. Hodgson, Mulvane; E. Thompson, Topeka; W. J. Scott, Kansas City; Frank L. Stevens, Kansas City; J. C. Linthicem, Klowa, are at the Meteoropic

are at the Metropole SNAKES AND TOADS.

Interesting Observations Made by a Stu-dent of Natural History.

Toads, in the presence of snakes, usually remain perfectly still. In this is their only safety, for did they make the least movement they would immediately be caught. I have known, says a writer in Forest and Stream, a hungry snake lie waiting over an hour for a frog to move, and even push with the nose to stir him up. This has been called "snake charming," and indeed it looks like it but the toad is the charmer, the

snake the charmee.

I remember one day I dropped a toad in the midst of a pit of snakes I had in my back yard. He at once became perfectly still, though surrounded by more than a dozen hungry snakes. There was a circle of flerce the Crawford Grand on March 23 is being heads and glaring eyes around him, but he would not move. The circle narrowed until the protruding tongues almost touched him, yet he was immovable. Just then I was called away for over half an hour, but on returning found the toad, in grave dignity, still holding the fort by most masterly in-activity. This lowly, helpless creature, strong only by adherence to a natural faith, thus baffling enemies numerous and powerful, brought Daniel before the mental vision

more vividly than Riviere's celebrated The senses of seeing, hearing and smelling are very defective in garters, they can see but a few yards at most, and even at

short distances of but a few inches they are often at fault. A snake was seen pursuing a frog, analfgrown rana halicana, in a saw-mill yard; the saw-dust and open space were greatly in favor of the snake and against the frog The frog made long jumps and the snake made a direct line to the spot where he alighted, but before it got there the frog had again jumped in another direction, and so the hunt went on for about half a minute; the snake quite unable to track the frog, in his aerial progress. At last the frog more by accident than design, alighted on the flat surface of a rough board which stood leaning against a pile of lumber at an angle of about eighty degrees, and sat perfectly still, about ten inches from the ground. The snake was quite puried; he looked, instened, sniffed and poked about for saveral minutes, passing close to the end of the board several times, but the hunt was an utter failure, and he siunk away toward

the bushwood, a very mad and disgusted Hundreds of similar cases could be cited, all showing the defective character of the

special scuses of the garter.

Told by Tom Ochiltree. A man in Texas was accused of stealing a horse. It is scarcely necessary to say that immediately there was a lynching bea. the First M. E. church Saturday evening.

At the conclusion of the entertainment the March 23.

PERSONALS.

At the conclusion of the entertainment the participants found that they had hanged the wrong man, and the high-minded citizens who had managed the affair were filled with remorse. They determined that the dead man's memory was entitled to vindication, and therefore a committee was appointed to wait upon the widow. They found her weeping. The chairman, with an awkward wave of his alouch but, said is a somewhat embarrassed manner: "Marin, we hanged your husband, but he was the wrong man. Marin, the joke is on us."

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